

THE WEATHER
Forecast for Portsmouth
and vicinity—Fair tonight
and Thursday; colder to-
night; diminishing north-
erly winds.

THE PORTSMOUTH HERALD

SUN AND TIDE	
Sun Rises	6:18
Sun Sets	5:35
High Tide	12:04 am
High Tide	12:27 pm
Moon Rises	8:15 pm

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MINISTER BURGLAR DIED FROM SHOT

Walter Morison, Shot By Watchman
Tuesday Night, Died This
Morning.

(Special to The Herald)
Rochester, March 3.—Walter Morison died early today as the result of shots fired by Adelbert Lyte, the night watchman, while trying to rob the office of the Conic Manufacturing Co. When told by physicians he could only live a few hours, he confessed saying that he was after the money to pay his divinity school tuition.

According to Adelbert Lyte, the night watchman, he found Morison ransacking the office, and fired when the young man advanced towards him with a revolver, which he had found in a drawer. Two bullets took effect, one in Morison's jaw and the other in the lung. His condition was so critical that physicians did not dare to remove him.

He was 23 years old, a graduate of Tilton Seminary and had filled pulpits temporarily at several places. It is thought he gained entrance through a basement window. He was familiar with the premises as he had worked in the mill a few years ago.

Morison's father is a fireman in the same mill, the office of which the boy tried to rob. He has tried hard to raise funds by which his son might go through divinity school, going even as far as mortgaging his little home.

Lyte, the watchman, was arrested later today on a technical charge of murder. Arrangements were made to arraign him this afternoon and have held him without bail.

GERMANY WILL ACCEPT THE AMERICAN PLAN

Allies Must Let Food and Raw Ma-
terials for Germany Proceed
Without Interference.

(Special to The Herald)
Berlin, March 3.—Germany's reply to the American note sent out on Feb. 22, intimating that a suitable basis might be reached by which the naval policies of both England and Germany could be modified is received enthusiastically by the German press.

It is intimated that Germany has undertaken diplomatic policies that will win the friendship and to a certain extent the support of the United States government.

In its reply to the American note concerning the German Naval war zone, the German government agrees that, under certain conditions, its submarines will halt and investigate merchantmen, and will proceed against only such vessels as are found carrying contraband or are owned in nations hostile to Germany.

The reply declares Germany's readiness to accept virtually all of the American proposals except the one which restricts the use of anchored

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MAY DEVELOP INTO THREE CORNERED FIGHT

Austro-German Fleet Reported On Way to Aid Turks Against the Anglo-French Warships

Operations Against Turkish Fortifications Are Being Resumed By Allies

(Special to The Herald)
London, March 3.—The conflict between the Turks and the Anglo-French fleet for possession of the Dardanelles may develop into a three-cornered fight, according to reports received here today, which state that an Austro-German fleet, consisting of six submarines, several torpedo boats and destroyers, and two or three first class cruisers have left the Austrian naval base at Pola for the Aegean Sea.

Ships in the Aegean Sea have reported by wireless to Salonika that heavy firing can be heard, and it is believed that the bombardment of the Turkish fortifications on the inner side of the Dardanelles has been resumed by the international fleet.

It is known that if the allied ships succeed in passing the fortifications they will be met by a strong fleet of the Turkish navy. The battle between these two forces would be fought to an absolute finish and in the case of such battle taking place, the aid of the Austro-German fleet would be considerable to the Turks.

RUSSIANS CLAIM SOME SUCCESSES

(Special to The Herald)
Petrograd, March 3.—Counter attacks of the Turks in the Trans-Caucasia district of the Trans-Caucasia have been repelled with heavy losses, it is officially reported from the Russian staff headquarters at Tiflis. The report adds that the Russians have also

been successful in the region of Oily, but no change has been made in the balance of the fighting front.

TRAWLER HITS MINE; CREW SAVED

(Special to The Herald)
Hull, via London, March 3.—The steam trawler Sappho has been sunk by a mine in the North Sea. The crew of eleven men were saved.

EXCHANGE OF MAIMED PRISONERS IS BEGUN

Geneva, via London, March 3.—The exchange of maimed prisoners through Geneva began today with the arrival of 1800 Frenchmen and 800 Germans. The transfer was made under the auspices of the Swiss Red Cross Society. The soldiers traveled in special coaches, which were guarded by military. Approximately a ton of gifts are here awaiting the unfortunates, who probably will number from 4000 to 5000 men from each country.

The Geneva Red Cross has begun negotiations with the German authorities with the object of opening postal service through Switzerland with the French territory occupied by the Germans. The society is daily in receipt of pathetic appeals from French families for the opening of such a service.

GERMANY LAYS OUT SAFE SHIP COURSE

Washington, March 3.—A statement issued by the German embassy here today announced that the American steamers Evelyn and Carib, recently sunk by mines in the North Sea, were lost because they failed to heed "advice contained in the notices to mariners."

The statement follows: "The American steamships Evelyn and Carib were lost in the North Sea because, in opposition to the advice contained in the notices to mariners, they took their course along the East Frisian Islands. According to statements made by the captain of the Evelyn, this course was followed upon advice by a British man-of-war."

"The Imperial government, strongly advises all ships sailing from the Dutch coast to the Bay of Helgoland to take their course from Terschelling Light, to about the 65th degree, then to Listerlee, where they are to await a German pilot."

NO-LICENSE MAKES GAIN IN VERMONT

Only 17 Towns and Cities Re-
main "Wet" in the Green
Mountain State.

Burlington, Vt., March 2.—The num-

ber of cities and towns in this state entitled to grant liquor licenses was reduced to seventeen as a result of the elections held today. This is three less than last year and seven less than in 1913. In 1903, when the present local option law went into effect, ninety cities and towns voted for license.

The margin of victory was small in several instances. Burlington voted for license by a majority of 25 votes; Rutland, by 1, and Vergennes by 2. Barre went dry by 7 votes.

Montpelier changed over to no-license by 128 votes. In Bennington, which voted for license, and in St. Johnsbury, which voted "dry," the minorities were large.

St. Albans remains in the license column. The town of Little Somerset, which cast four votes, went "wet" three to one, but the cost of a license there is expected to be prohibitive.

MORE ARRESTS WILL BE MADE

District Attorney Perkins Will
Ask 25 Years' Imprisonment
for Anarchists If Con-
victed.

(Special to The Herald)
New York, March 3.—Further arrests are expected in the great New York bomb plot which was exposed on Tuesday when anarchists tried to blow up St. Patrick's Cathedral, one of the finest church buildings in the United States, with a high power bomb.

District Attorney Perkins who is co-operating with the police in searching out the ratification of the anarchists' conspiracy, by which a reign of terror, violence and assassination was to be inaugurated, will rush through court the cases of Frank Abarno and Charles Carbone the two men arrested on Tuesday.

The district attorney went before the grand jury and asked for indictment of the two men under a statute making possible 25 years in prison for placing explosives in a building with the intention to destroy, and thereby endanger lives.

Carbone and Abarno were indicted by the grand jury today.

AUTO CHEMICAL CALLED OUT

Three-Quarters of an Hour
Required to Extinguish
Brush Fire.

The auto chemical was called out this afternoon shortly after 1.30 to put out a brush fire on Islington street near the standpipe.

The fire was near the Greenough residence, and with the brisk wind blowing, was rapidly spreading toward the house. After working three quarters of an hour the fire was extinguished.

WHIST AND LUNCHEON

The Duplicate Auction Bridge Club was charmingly entertained by Mrs. Wallace, wife of Captain Wallace, the commanding officer of Fort Constitution, at the conclusion of cards a delicate luncheon was served.



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BELGIAN RELIEF STEAMER ASHORE

British Steamer Bound From
Charleston, Ashore on
North Carolina Coast.

(Special to The Herald)
Norfolk, Va., March 3.—The British steamer St. Helena, with supplies for the Belgian war sufferers went ashore about two miles south of Currituck fire-saving station on the North Carolina coast early today. The St. Helena was bound from Charleston, S. C.

PRISONER IS PARDONED

Governor and Council Orders
Perjurer Released.

The governor and council today granted a pardon to Enrico Molinello of Weymouth who has served 18 months in state prison on a conviction of perjury. Exonerating circumstances were offered and in view of the fact that Molinello has completed the minimum of his sentence, clemency was granted. The maximum sentence had only six months to run.

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KITTERY POINT

Items of Interest from the Harbor Town.

The Ladies Circle will meet on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Philbrick of Stimpson street.

Mrs. Lilla Parker, of Greenfield, Mass., is visiting relatives in town.

Mr. Clifford Williams is confined to his home on Echo street by illness.

Mrs. Charles Jones of the Junction passed the day with her sister, Mrs. Moses Downing of North Kittery.

Mrs. H. G. McLean has been called to Rehoboth, Mass., by the illness of her mother.

On Thursday evening in the vestry of the Second Methodist church an "Earn-a-Dollar" social will be held under the auspices of the Ladies Aid.

Regular meeting of Piscataqua Chapter Order of Eastern Star, this evening.

Deputy Sheriff Maurice Leach, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pettigrew, and Mr. Charles Weeks were in South Berwick today on business.

A social supper will be served this evening from 8 to 9:30 in the vestry of the Second Methodist church by the Epworth Club.

At 8 o'clock a basketball game will be played between the marines and the Vets of South Berwick, composed mostly of Bowdoin Academy players. This promises to be a good game and a large crowd should turn out.

Mr. Oliver C. Hatch still remains confined to his home in North Kittery.

Dr. Harry E. Fuller has purchased the double tenement house at the Intervene owned by Mrs. Charles F. Hursey and will occupy it as a permanent residence.

At the meeting of the constitution of the Kittery K of P on Tuesday evening, the second rank was worked on one candidate.

Ellen and Mary Standish are confined to their home at the Intervene by illness.

Monteswain and Mrs. Linburg passed the day in Boston.

Mr. Philip Flynn of Deerfield, N. H., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Harriet Flynn of Locke's Cove.

Mrs. V. May Moody is confined to her home on Otis avenue on account of illness.

A special meeting of the Grange Circle will be held on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Wilson, Wentworth street.

Mrs. Frank Kuse of Woodlawn avenue passed the day in New Castle with friends.

Mrs. Pauline Stewart of Whipple road is able to be out again after being confined to the house with a cold.

York Potomac Grange will be held at South Berwick on Thursday. All those going from Kittery Grange are requested to take the 9 o'clock car.

The warrant for the annual town meeting to be held Monday, March 15.

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DAILY SPORT LETTER

Jim Gaffney, owner of the Boston Braves gets a splash feeling, every time he thinks of how he overlooked a chance to land Hassen Pfeffer, the wonderful Brooklyn pitcher, who, in his first year in the big leagues, showed more real stuff than any young pitcher has in the past five years.

Pfeffer won 23 out of 35 games for the Dodgers last year. His pitching average was 657—a matter of 171 points above the team average. Pfeffer ranked third among the pitchers on the basis of effectiveness. The average runs scored off him per game was only 1.87.

"And I could have had that fellow as easy as not," moaned Gaffney.

"Why didn't you harpoon him?"

"Because I got him confused with Old Jeff Pfeffer, a pitcher that we had released in 1912. About the middle of 1913 I noticed that a pitcher named Pfeffer was setting the Central league on fire. But I didn't pay any attention to him. I figured that it was our old pitcher Pfeffer making a few last gasps as a pitcher."

"Yes," we encouraged.

Well, early last summer when we played against the Dodgers a huge looking youngster named Pfeffer went into the box against us. He certainly was a fine looking specimen of manhood and he looked like a fellow who could pitch every day and never grow tired.

"That pitcher began standing up on our legs. His speed was terrific and his control perfect, and his curves were wonderful."

"Where did you get that fellow from?" I asked Manager Robinson, of the Dodgers later on.

"Got him from Grand Rapids of the Central League," answered Robby.

"And to think," added Gaffney "that I could have landed that fellow."

Saw what he was doing up in Grand Rapids long before the Dodge people did and I could have sent one of my scouts up there and grabbed him, but I mixed him up with Old Jeff. And now—well, ain't it—?"

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KITTERY

Breezy Items from the Village Across the River.

W. S. Palmer of Salem, Mass., was a visitor in town on Tuesday.

Some and see the "Bashful Boy" at the Free Will Baptist church on Friday evening.

Mrs. Henry Moulton is able to be out after an illness.

Miss Alphonine Fernald has returned to her home at the Intervene after passing a few days with her grandmother, Mrs. Catherine Bray.

Miss Alice True has returned to her home in Amesbury, Mass., after passing a week at the home of Rev. Winifred P. Coffin.

C. H. Walker of Portland is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Philbrick.

Mark Bray of York recently visited his mother, Mrs. Catherine Bray.

Henry Moulton has resumed his duties as fireman on the Allee Howard after being confined to his home with the grippe.

Mrs. Haven Fernald is able to be about the house after a severe illness.

Miss Hazel Pruett was a visitor out of town on Tuesday.

Miss Eleanor Johnson is able to be out of doors after being confined to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Johnson with appendicitis.

Mrs. Nelson Wedder of Kittery passed Tuesday with friends in town.

Mrs. Herbert Baker is confined to her home by illness.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Christian church will meet on Friday afternoon with Mrs. John Glawson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sawyer visited relatives in York on Tuesday.

Charles Bedell is confined to his home with a severe cold.

Mrs. Ernest Allen is confined to her home with appendicitis, and her mother is here from Manchester, N. H., caring for her.

Burnell Frisbee is able to be out after being confined to the house with a severe cold.

Mrs. E. D. Seger and children, have returned from a visit to relatives in Boston.

Mrs. Anthony Rose was a visitor out of town on Tuesday.

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THREE CASES IN
DOVER SESSION

Judge Chamberlain Gives Guy Haywood Suspended Sentence of One Year.

At the superior court at Manchester Tuesday before Judge R. N. Chamberlain the case of Herodias Exis for larceny and carrying a concealed weapon was tried. The case grew out of trouble in the Greek colony in Somersworth.

Prior to the drawing of the jury, Count Exis through an interpreter, pleaded guilty to the charge of carrying a concealed weapon. She is the wife of Herodias Exis who is now on trial. William S. Pierce appeared for the defendant, and County Solicitor George T. Hughes for the state. H. Bradley of Dover was chosen foreman of the jury. The case will probably occupy the greater part of Wednesday as many of the witnesses are of the Greek nationality and the testimony of the witnesses will have to be translated. Before drawing the jury in the case William Fayed, charged with adultery, pleaded guilty and was ordered to pay a fine of \$25 and costs of \$18, total \$43. Guy Haywood retracted his former plea of not guilty and pleaded guilty to the larceny of a camera and drawing larcenies taking from the buildings of the New Hampshire State College.

Haywood for some time past was a Frankfort man in Durham and peddled his wares from house to house. Suspicion was cast upon him when certain articles were missed. His house was searched and quite a number of the missing articles were found. P. W. Murphy appeared for him and told his circumstances, stating that he was married and had four small children and recommended leniency. County Solicitor George T. Hughes also recommended leniency and he was given a sentence of a year in jail and costs, sentence suspended, mitimus to be issued at the call of the solicitor.

WIFE BEATER
GIVEN 30 DAYS

Judge McCabe Sends Dover Resident to House of Correction.

At Dover police court Tuesday Alphonse Sansoneau was tried for an assault upon his wife Phoebe Sansoneau. The evidence in the case showed that on Monday night Sansoneau came home somewhat under the influence of liquor, lighted his pipe and threw the match into a bundle of newspapers behind the door. He set his room on fire.

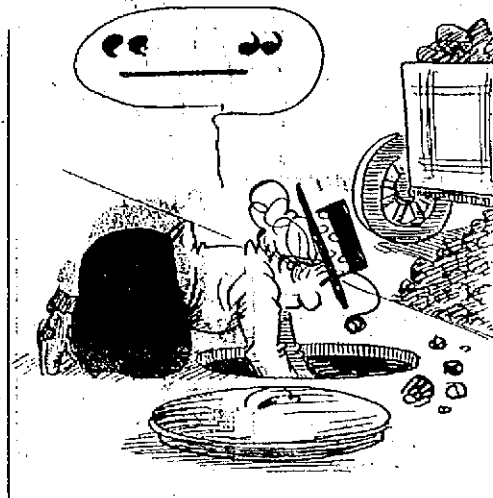
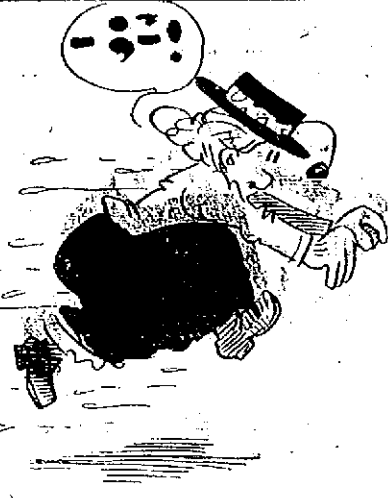
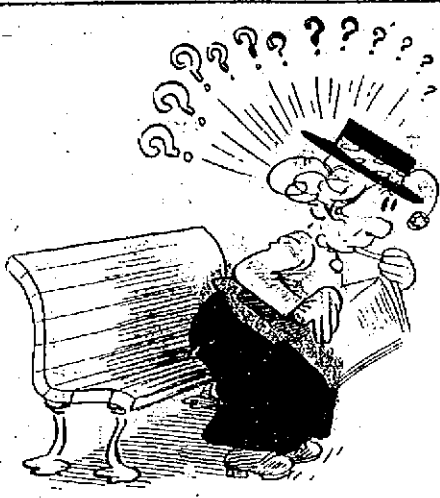
His wife, however, grabbed a pail of water and poured it on the flames extinguishing them. She then started to

SCOOP, THE CUB REPORTER

It's Hard to Hold Down Two Jobs at Once

BY HOP

WHILE I GOT TH LIL LAD OUT FOR
SOML FRESH AIR IM GOING TO
GRAB TIME ENOUGH TO GET SOME
COPY IN TO TH BOSS ON MY SERVANT
PROBLEM FROM TH
INSIDE STORIES

PROPOSED TAX BILL
IS CONSTITUTIONALSupreme Court Passes a Bill to Tax
Intangibles--Gov. Spaulding Wants
Bill to Pass

Concord, March 2.—The supreme court handed down a decision this morning relative to the proposed tax on the revenue from intangibles, and four members of the court declared it constitutional. They were Chief Justice Parsons and Justices Walker, Young and Plummer. Justice Robert J. Peaslee dissented and based in an opinion that the proposition would be unconstitutional. The decision was a very complete and exhaustive one, covering many pages. It was presented to the house by Speaker Dean immediately after the house was called to order.

Speaking of the decision Governor Hollard H. Spaulding, who recommended such a tax very strongly in his inaugural message which he delivered to the legislature Jan. 7, said this morning:

"I regard this question of taxation as one of the most important that has been brought before the legislature, and now that the matter of constitutionality has been passed upon in advance I hope that the bill exempting

intangible property from taxation and imposing a tax instead upon the revenue from such property may become a law speedily.

"I am convinced that in the end such a tax will be found to increase materially the state revenue and thus reduce the rate of general taxation. I believe it to be a measure of justice and I think its enactment into a law would have a tendency to bring into New Hampshire desirable new citizens. Under the law as it now stands the revenue from the taxation of intangibles is decreasing steadily and will continue to do so. The contrary will be the case, I am sure, if the law is amended as proposed in the bill introduced by Rep. Hoyt of Sandwich and which the supreme court has pronounced constitutional.

The honest opposition to the bill is based, I think, upon ideas as to its purpose and probably result, which will be shown in the debate upon the measure to be mistaken. The friends of the measure will hope now for speedy legislative action upon it."

WOULD REPEAL THE PRESENT
LICENSE COMMISSION BILL

Concord, March 2.—The committee on the judiciary reported favorably this morning a bill to wipe out the present license commission and appoint a board of three license commissioners, one of whom shall be appointed for a term ending Aug. 31, 1916, one ending Aug. 31, 1918, and one ending Aug. 31, 1920, and it provides for the appointment within ten days after the passage of the act. One member shall be commissioned as clerk and treasurer of the board and shall be reasonably constant in his attendance at the office and shall be charged with the general execution of the duties thereof. He shall receive a salary of \$2500. The other two members of the board shall each receive an annual salary of \$1200. This bill gives the board the right, with the approval of the governor and council, to appoint one or more special agents and inspectors.

The senate committee on railroads today gave a hearing on Senate Bill No. 43, introduced by Senator Wagner of Manchester, which relates to

the carrying of passengers on street railways. It is anticipated that the committee will make its report on that it will reach the senate either tomorrow or Thursday. The following is the full text of the bill:

Section 1. No common carrier of passengers operating electric cars within this state shall permit passengers to ride on the steps, running boards or fenders of electric cars.

Section 2. No such common carrier shall permit passengers to stand on the platform of an open or in the vestibule of a closed electric car, with the motorman.

Section 3. No such common carrier shall permit more passengers to ride upon an electric car than one and a half times its seating capacity, and for passengers standing suitable supports must be provided.

Section 4. Any violation of this act shall be punishable by a fine of not less than five dollars or more than twenty-five dollars for each offense.

Section 5. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

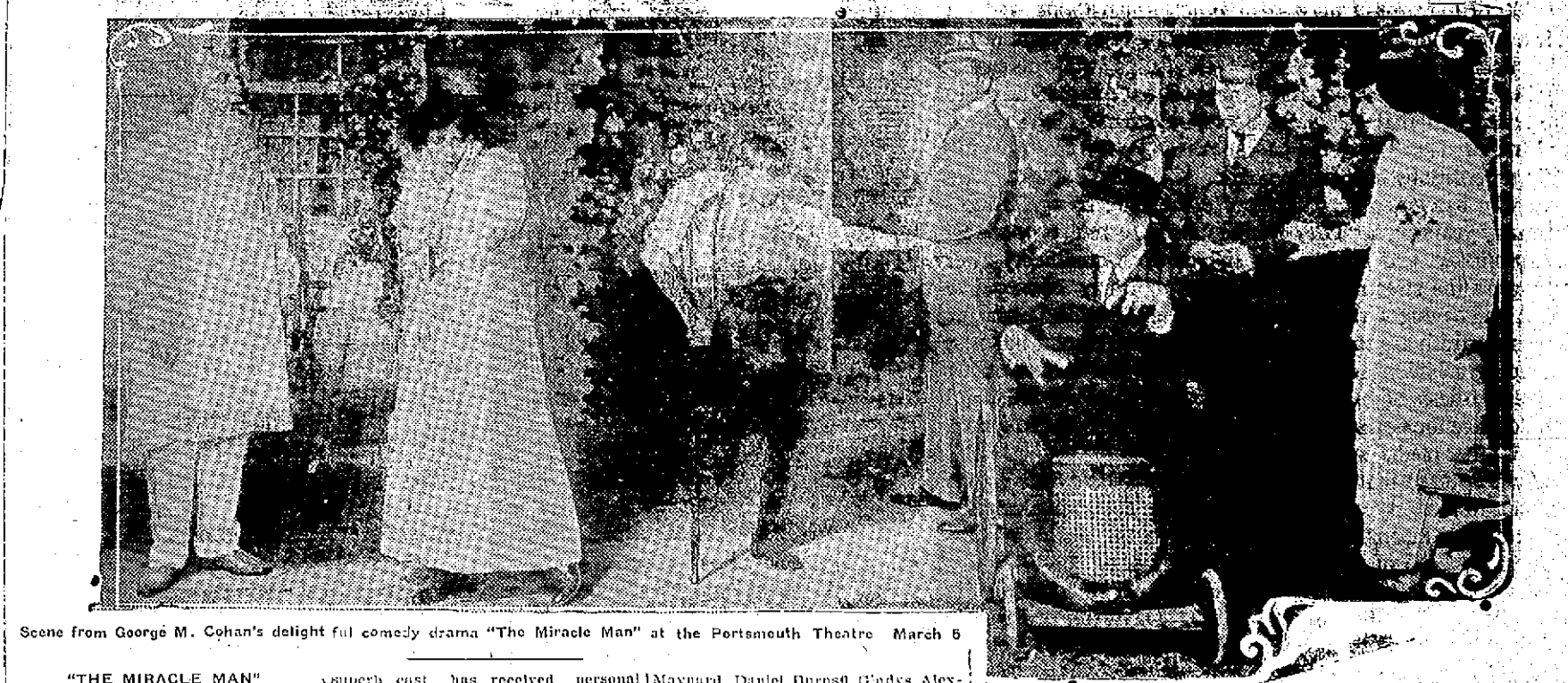
Section 6. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

After talking for two solid hours today the senate took a recess for one hour and then resumed the debate on House Bill No. 28, which is an act to legalize the vote of the town of Plymouth at a meeting held on the 24th day of November, 1911, exempting certain property of the Draper-Maynard company of said town from taxation.

A majority of the committee recommended that it was inexpedient to legislate and a minority that the bill should pass. On his question Senators Caine, Woodbury, Kinney and Wagner favored the substitution of the minority report for that of the majority, and Senators Smith and Martin spoke in opposition.

STILL SILENT ON LEGION

Washington, March 2.—While awaiting reply from Major General Wood in command of the eastern department, to his inquiry concerning the launching of a movement in New York for the creation of a three hundred



Scene from George M. Cohan's delight ful comedy drama "The Miracle Man" at the Portsmouth Theatre March 5

"THE MIRACLE MAN"

A Comedy That Pleases all Classes of Playgoers

Cohan and Harris, the popular producers of sure-fire successes, will present "The Miracle Man," George M. Cohan's delightful comedy, founded up on the principal incidents and characters of the Frank L. Packard novel of the same name, at the Portsmouth Theatre Friday evening, March 5.

Without a dissenting voice the army of sincere dramatic critics throughout the country have accorded Mr. Cohan's most ambitious comedy the most enthusiastic praise and unqualified approbation that the play undoubtedly deserves. Not one line of adverse criticism has appeared to mar the unanimous verdict of the dramatic reviewers. Every member of the

superb cast has received personal mention for the uniformly excellent characterizations they portray in this pleasing and unusually human dramatic offering. First and foremost "The Miracle Man" is as humorous and delightfully entertaining as any of the long chain of Cohan successes, and the pronounced triumph scored by the play and players proves beyond any doubt that Mr. Cohan is a close student of human nature, as well as an observing genius of the theatre who knows how to provide just the sort of entertainment that the public will flock to see. The associate players—most of whom created the parts in which they now appear—comprise one of the most well-balanced companies ever gathered together. Earle Browne, Sam Hince, Percy Helton, James C. Marlowe, Clifford Dempsey, Frederick

Maynard, Daniel Burnell Gladys Alexandria, Ada Glonn, Mary Murphy, and Nan Francis visualize the characters they portray in such an effective manner as to well deserve the eulogistic praise that the critics have bestowed upon them. "The Miracle Man" is in no sense a preachment or a sombre, argumentative, semi-religious sermon. It is just a delightfully human play, full of laughter, startling surprises and tense dramatic moments. In other words, it is "another Cohan and Harris success," that no one can afford to miss seeing. Never was there a more amusing Cohan play, or one so full of surprise and really big dramatic moments, yet "The Miracle Man" is pure comedy, but comedy with a punch to it. Comedy that entertains, but makes you think after the laughs subside.

French aerial forces in the past ten days have been efficacious and some brilliant feats have been accomplished according to a note issued by the War Office. As an example, the exploits of one aviator are described. It is said that on Feb. 17 he discovered the location of twenty-one German batteries and the next day located a heavy battery which immediately was bombarded, causing an explosion of casualties. The night bombardment of the

baracks at Metz is cited as another incident. The War Office note declares that during the period mentioned there has been little aerial activity on the part of the Germans. The military value of the Zeppelin is declared to be slight. The note tells of the destruction of four dirigibles.

The vaudeville at the New Theatre is fine.

DRYDEN AND
MCDONALD MATCHED

Will Dryden will meet John McDonald of Worcester, in a grapple match at Freeman's hall on Monday evening next, and Dryden at that time will try and get back a decision McDonald won from him the first of the season.

McDonald met Dryden the first of the season and defeated him, pinning the local man to the mat, after a good match. Dryden since he has resumed wrestling has been anxious for a match but it was not until McDonald returned from a trip to the west that he was able to get in touch with him. McDonald is a fast man, who always is in condition and a very fast bout may be looked for, inasmuch as Dryden is today in better condition than he has been for the past two years.

FOUR DIRIGIBLES DESTROYED.

Paris, March 2.—Efforts of the

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EXTRA SESSION IS DEFINITELY
ABANDONED

President Wilson Says, Also, That He Has Not Seriously Considered Special Session in October.

Washington, March 2.—President Wilson stated definitely today that he had abandoned plans for an extra session of the Senate immediately after March 4, and, up to the present, had not seriously considered the suggestion of a special session of Congress in October.

OPERATED ON AT HOSPITAL

Hon. Henry A. Vinton was operated upon Tuesday at the Portsmouth Hospital for appendicitis, the operation being performed by Dr. A. C. Hoeflinger, assisted by Drs. Henry, Hargrave and Walker. Mr. Vinton spent the operation well and late last night was considered to be making a good recovery.

Mr. N. Mingle, upholsterer for the past two and one-half years with Th. A. H. Davenport Co., Boston, is now with Margeson Bros., who are prepared to do all kinds of expert upholstering and mattress work. Tel. 970. h ml, 31

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FOR PORTSMOUTH AND PORTSMOUTH'S INTERESTS

TELEPHONES

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Portsmouth, N. H., Wednesday, March 3, 1915.

The Best Advertising.

The superiority of newspapers and other publications as carriers of advertising is now so generally recognized that discussion of the subject may seem almost superfluous, and yet it is a subject that is receiving more and more attention in the advertising world. Advertisers of all classes, while recognizing that all kinds of advertising are good, have settled down to the conviction that the newspapers, magazines, agricultural and trade papers afford the best means in the world of laying their propositions before the public. Of these publications a man who has given his attention to the advertising business for many years says: "They are the most effective, economical and profitable, and I make this statement unqualifiedly after sailing on the stream of advertising for thirty consecutive years, and having within that period made the selling plans for concerns which are today doing an aggregate annual business exceeding a billion and a half of dollars. If I were to hang above the desk of every advertiser a chart of advertising I should place the newspaper and other periodicals in the center, and all other media would occupy the margins."

It will be seen that this man, who has made advertising his business for nearly a third of a century, does not deny the value of any means of publicity, but places regular publications at the head of the list, where they belong.

And of all publications the daily newspaper stands distinctly at the head as an advertising medium. Day after day it goes into hundreds and thousands of homes, bearing the message of the live business man along with the news of the day—both indispensable to the modern household.

In this age business cannot be successfully done without advertising, and shrewd advertisers have learned where they can get the best service. They understand that honesty and persistency in advertising are essential, and the great majority of them are honest and persistent in placing their offerings before the public in attractive form. That the investment brings good returns is a fact that was established years ago, and the question of the value of judicious advertising long since passed beyond the realm of debate.

The only question that remains for the advertiser is the question of getting the best. That is to be obtained through the columns of the daily newspaper, as most advertisers have already learned, and as others must.

Congress Made Weary.

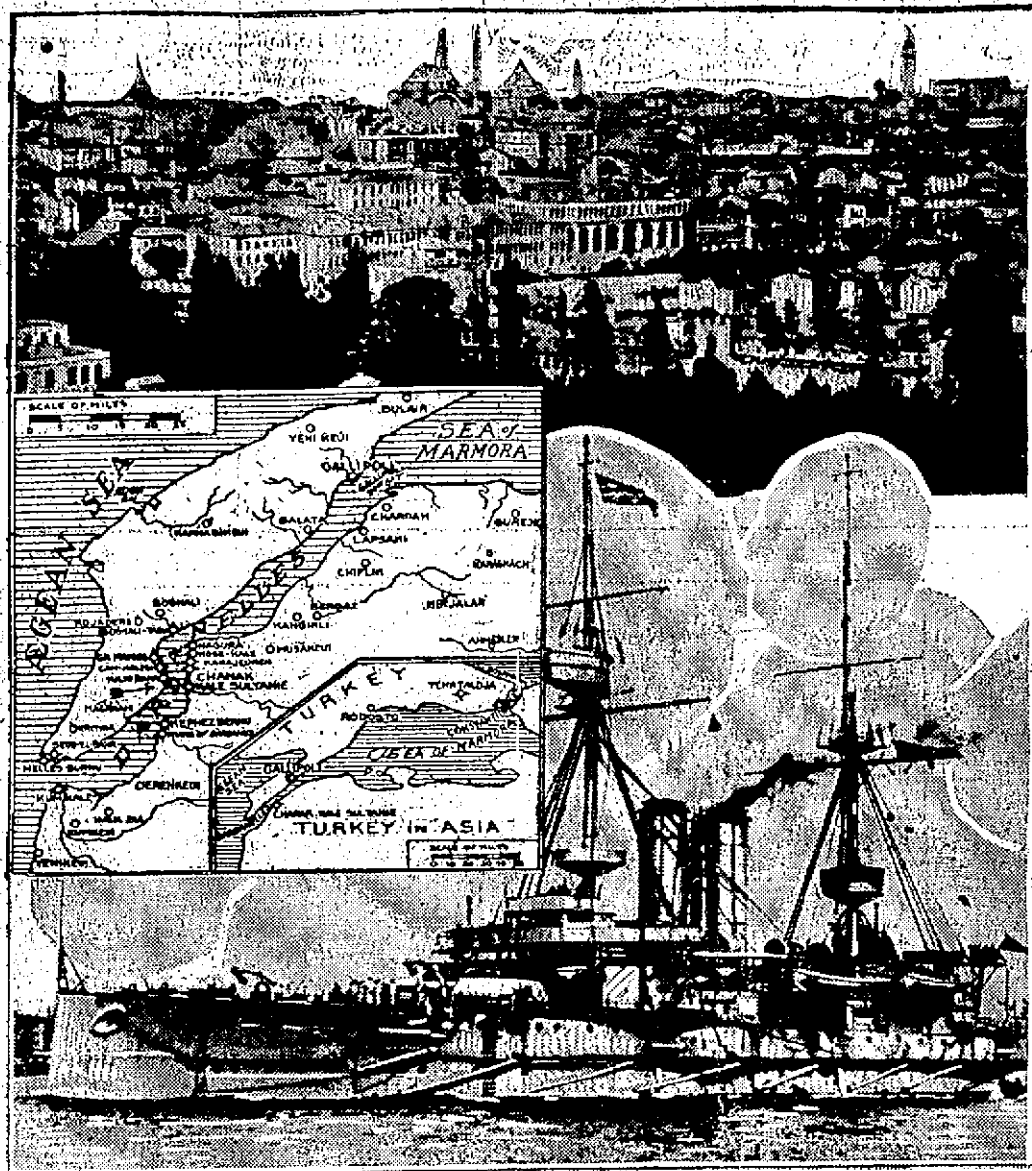
A Washington correspondent writes that never before in years, if ever, has Congress been so burdened with the activities and importunities of lobbyists as at the present time. So numerous and insistent are these workers for "reform" and "uplift" in all directions that they constitute a serious burden, not to say nuisance, and the time and attention they demand detracts materially from the legitimate work of the members of both branches.

The correspondent says the men and women engaged in this work are for the most part not the paid agents of corporations seeking legislation for their own special benefit, but are the representatives of various reform organizations and "movements" having in view what they conceive to be a betterment of conditions in the social, moral and industrial affairs of the country. And it seems to those upon whom they are forcing their attention that they have banded together for the purpose of bringing to bear a combined pressure too great to be withstood. A senator in speaking of the situation the other day said that never in his time had he known this sort of lobbying to be so abundant and insistent. He declared that members of Congress are constantly badgered by persons who are clamoring for every conceivable kind of impractical, demagogic, un-American and harmful legislation, and that they should be driven out as the old-fashioned vote-buying lobbyists have so largely been.

This is true, if the picture presented is correct, as it undoubtedly is, but the men to do this are the legislators who are suffering the torment. If they would band together as they claim the lobbyists do and stand shoulder to shoulder against these unreasonable onslaughts by the forces of so-called reform there would soon be a change which would bring not only relief to them, but benefit to the country.

The real trouble is that there is too much cowardice on the part of the congressmen, as there is on the part of state legislators, when confronted by forces supposed to represent votes. There is too general a disposition to weigh every act by its possible effect upon the voters, and this leads in many instances to legislation which has been properly pronounced "impractical, demagogic, un-American and harmful." The remedy lies in the hands of those who are directly suffering from this excessive and pestiferous lobbying, and the sooner it is applied the better will it be for them and for the country.

World Watches Allies' Attempt to Force Way Through Dardanelles and Capture Constantinople.



Photos by American Press Association.

With the first success of the allies' warships in demolishing the forts at the Aegean entrance of the Dardanelles the possibility of the ultimate capture of Constantinople became of worldwide interest. The Dardanelles has always been considered practically impregnable. Since the war began it has been newly mined and its forts greatly strengthened. Under German supervision it has become an armed strait so carefully protected as to make the attempt of the allies' fleet seem particularly perilous. Here is shown a map of this newest scene of the great conflict. A view of Constantinople, the prize contended for, is shown, with a picture of the English battle cruiser Inflexible, which was Rear Admiral Sturdee's flagship in the naval battle off the Falkland Islands and is now the flagship of the fleet in the Dardanelles.

SHOULD THE UNITED STATES HAVE A LARGER ARMY AND NAVY?

This topic is of especial interest at the present time in view of the terrible conflict into which the larger countries of Europe have plunged, and the resultant outcome. In any event the United States should be prepared whatever the outcome and be fully able to protect not only her own coast line but her overseas possessions.

From the acquisition of the Hawaiian Islands, Guam, Alaska, and the Philippines, the establishment of a protectorate over Cuba and Liberia, and the enforcement of the Monroe Doctrine, the United States must have a larger navy to properly and adequately protect these possessions and to enforce proper respect from all countries for the Doctrine promulgated by President Monroe in 1823.

From the latest statistical reports it appears that the United States Navy is composed of the following number of vessels: 40 first class battleships, 10 armored cruisers, 5 first class cruisers, 4 second class cruisers, 15 third class cruisers, 9 monitors, 63 destroyers, 21 torpedo boats, 53 submarines, 9 tenders to torpedo vessels, 31 gunboats, 6 transports, 5 supply ships, 2 hospital ships, 25 fuel ships, 17 converted yachts, 45 tugs, 8 special type and 23 ships, unserviceable for war purposes, making a total of 400 ships. From the same reports it appears that the authorized strength of the navy is composed of the following: 3,150 commissioned officers, 505 warrant officers and 71,500 enlisted men, and in addition, the Marine Corps, composed of 316 officers and 5,921 enlisted men.

The complement of the navy has been proven to be totally inadequate to fully man the number of vessels now in the service. Rear Admiral Fletcher before a congressional com-

mittee has stated that the navy was short nearly 8,000 men. In case of war with any first class power, every serviceable ship would have to be put in active commission and the reserve fleets have been sadly depleted to skeleton crews so that the new ships now going into commission might be manned. Of course this country boasts an organized Naval Militia, totalling some 7,785 officers and men, nearly all of whom engage in a month or two summer practice on regular navy ships and who would be very valuable in filling vacancies in the navy, but these men as a whole cannot expect to be a responsible part of an effective fighting machine, such as the navy is, without more concentration and training, which of course takes time, so that the outbreak of hostilities these men would practically be of no value. It has been said that the real reason why the British ships, the Monmouth and the Good Hope, were sunk in action with a German fleet in the present conflict was by reason of these ships being manned by nearly all naval reserves, who had not the training of the regular man-o-war's men, in consequence of which no effective work was done with the guns. Ability to hit is a more important factor than speed and armament, and these men probably never had target practice under actual actual war conditions, with a rough sea and a good working knowledge of the guns they were called upon to fire.

More than one country has looked with envious eyes upon the Philippines and sooner or later this country will be called upon to defend them from invasion and capture. Part of our little army is posted there with a sprinkling of Philippine scouts and constabulary, and what a length of time would elapse before the United States could send reinforcements to those far-off islands! Representative Johnson of "Merline" fame, has gained

more notoriety from his interferences in regard to Japan's attitude toward the Philippines. It is a known fact that Japan is too small for the population she has; she must have an outlet, and what is more natural than she should look to her next door neighbor, the Philippines? Our Asiatic fleet is ridiculously small in comparison with the Japanese fleet, and they would not have very much trouble in landing and capturing the more important places.

We must have a larger navy, if we wish to keep our possessions and drive possible invaders from our coast lines. The eastern and western coast lines of the United States are very remote and our geographical position has made it necessary to keep a fleet on both the Atlantic and Pacific sides, and an Asiatic fleet for protection of the Philippines and the Hawaiian Islands. The successful building of the Panama Canal has materially strengthened our navy, in that our eastern and western coast lines have been brought nearer together some 8,000 miles, making the fleets interchangeable in a much shorter length of time.

The Navy Year Book for 1915 now shows the United States Navy to be fourth in total tonnage. France has taken third place, so gratuitously offered them by the "little navy men," the position we have held for some time in the armed strength of the world.

The one-battleship-a-year program has relegated the United States to fourth place, there to stay, unless the "soldiers" take heed unto Representative Gardner of Massachusetts, who has compiled some interesting figures and data on the unpreparedness of this country.

How the Powers have scoffed at our little army, an army supposed to be able to defend a country of so vast an acreage! 1,823 officers, and 85,965 enlisted men, exclusive of hospital corps and provisional force. We might boast an organized militia of 16,061,663 which includes, in the Southern States, negroes capable of bearing arms. Negroes figure on paper, but further from a valuable asset than it appears.

The organized militia as a whole is poorly drilled and disciplined. I have been given opportunity to see the militia of quite a number of states, and I have yet to see a Guard that could be called to the front without at least three or four months preliminary training. The militia does very good service in quelling strikes, riots, and enforcing martial law in the different states, but life in a tent, trenches, all sorts of weather, lots of rough marching with the regulation pack and hat but by no means least, effective firing both with artillery and small arms, is something that can only be gotten only by earnest effort and concentration, and hard training. It seems as though the organized militia

Does the Newspaper Appeal to Women?

Once in a while a national manufacturer expresses doubts as to whether women read newspapers. He does not stop to think that the success of the merchant rests in his appeal to women. That the newspaper contains the news of the schools, of society, of the church and of current events in which women are keenly interested. That the newspaper is a daily visitor to every home. That it is a part of the home life itself. No manufacturer whose product appeals to the housewife can afford NOT to advertise in newspapers. Manufacturers who want proof of the influence of the daily newspaper on women are invited to address the Bureau of Advertising, American Newspaper Publishers Association, World Building, New York.

CURRENT OPINION

Vocational Education Makes for Broader Culture.

The fundamental purpose of public education should be to make young men and women self-reliant, self-respecting and sensitive to their obligations to the community in which they live. By promoting efficiency and by making clear the intimate relation between schooling and life vocational education contributes in a high degree to that fundamental purpose. The agitation for such education has already resulted in a widespread revision of school systems and methods, a revision which is making for broader culture, higher standards of achievement and more intelligent citizenship.

For what it has already done in promoting sound vocational training the national society for the promotion of industrial education deserves the highest commendation.—By James P. Munroe, Boston Merchant.

is more of a social organization, and it is a known fact that only a small percentage turn out for the Summer manoeuvres.

The enlisted strength of the army should be increased. We need more men in the Philippines, and our other possessions and a redistribution of army posts in the United States. Our coasts and border lines should be garrisoned in such a way that they would be protected at all times both from land and sea, and effectively so. In order to do this the army must be increased considerably; recent events in Mexico have shown us the value of garrisons on the border line, and a similar line of garrisons on the Canadian border line should be maintained. Not that we expect trouble from Canada or from Mexico but preparedness is the best preventative of war.

The United States can boast of the very best transportation facilities for the movement and concentration of troops and supplies, and even though the whole coast line was blockaded, which would be almost an impossibility, this country would be self-sustaining, owing to the bumper crops and its perfect network of railroads to distribute it. We are not dependent on any country for the necessities of life and could never be starved into submission in a defensive war.

A prominent German naval writer in discussing the event of a war between Germany and the United States, says that it would be a small matter to defeat our navy owing to its low speed, its inferiority of numbers, and inferior of armament, and as it would be impossible, after having polished off our navy, to effectively blockade our coast, then they would capture New York, Boston, San Francisco, et al, the great trade centers, cut off our exports and imports, and make us sue for peace. German troops once landed on this coast, and a steady stream of transports on the way from Germany, conveyed by German warships would soon make short work of our little army and militia.

This prominent naval writer does not seem to have said anything regarding the acknowledged ability of the American navy's gun pointers in placing well directed shells. Superior armament, greater speed and fancy torpedo nets count for nothing if there are no men "behind the guns," men who have proved, in target practice, what they can do. In the recent target practice one of our gun pointers made eight hits with eight shots at a distance of twelve miles, using a large calibre gun. Such marksmanship as this ought to make up a little for our lower tonnage, inferior speed and ad infinitum.

Four battleships a year with a substantial increase in submarines and four torpedo boat destroyers for each battleship would, after a few years, put this country up to third place, and possibly second in the relative strength of the navies of the world.

Increase the army to 200,000; we must have trained men and the militia does not wholly satisfy us in this respect. A substantial trained-to-the-minute regular army and larger navy is more conducive to peace, than honey diplomats and International Peace Forums. In our standing as a first class power we should demand the respect of other powers, and that respect is only due when they know and feel that to combat this country or enroach on any of our possessions is an invitation to their possible defeat.

We do not know what the outcome of the present war will be; many military experts have different views, but we must be prepared at all times for conditions that may arise, and not prepare after those same conditions have arisen. An unexpected attack depends largely on rapidity of movement, and this country is too large, and our resources are too great to not be prepared for sudden attacks, and unpreparedness invites attack.

International Law teaches us that a blockade is binding only when it is effectively maintained, and it is the same way with our Monroe Doctrine. It can only be binding and of effect when an efficient navy and a competent army maintain it. Uncle Sam is still the policeman for nearly all of the Western Hemisphere, so let Congress do its part and give him a good club in the shape of an increased army and navy.

CHAS. W. MOORE, WILLIAM E. WOODS, U. S. N.

PEOPLE'S OPINIONS.

What a pity it is that the minister here in town, who from his pulpit, persistently and deliberately misrepresents the Froelichers, don't actually have a little more regard for them,

considering that at least some of them are of good character, and not have quite so much regard for their souls, whatever that may be. This would at least show some of that Christian charity that he is fond of speaking of.

Does he believe that part of the Bible that says: "Judge not, lest ye be also judged"? If so, does he believe himself competent to bar another from the pearly gates, provided there are such things?

Would that be returning good for evil though "unbelief is the greatest of all sins," was an actual fact?

Would he declare that good behavior is worth less than his personal beliefs or that "helping hands were not as much help as praying lips?"

Is the "straight and narrow path" for strait and narrow minds? A broad mind demands a broad way and is freely willing to live and let live both in this world and in any other world there may be.

The world is too small and life too short to entertain any smaller idea, though you may call it what you like. A judge of the U. S. Supreme Court would not condemn a single person to death on the flimsy pretenses that some persons condemn multitudes to a worse fate.

E. N. Bowker, Kittery Me.

Want Water Extended

Dear Sir—I saw in the Portsmouth Chronicle a few lines in regards to extending the water system to Ex-Gov. Hill's old homestead. Better roads, and water, is what our town needs. Water is the greater thing we have got. I have got water in my house and barn and find it to be a valuable thing to my property. We all know that Ex-Gov. Hill helped the town to get this water. Now let's respect his old home, by going to the polls, March 15th and vote to extend the water system to that point.

South Elliot, Me., March 2, 1915.

I WONDER

If that early bird man at Dover Point has his eye on that robin? If any more Democrats have thrown their feathers in the ring for polio commissioner?

Who of the present generation will be living when the Portsmouth and Kittery bridge is free from toll? Why the city government as a whole or city officials individually, don't make a move to help the unemployed in this city?

If the tax department will forget to chase them for their taxes?

Who trained that black indolent canine at the fall?

If he is not a Mr. Wise in the canine race?

If he will ever see a hungry day as long as certain residents meet him on his daily relief expedition?

BRUSH AND GRASS FIRES TROUBLESOME

Exeter Department Twice Called Out.

Exeter, March 2—Two fire alarms today called firemen to fight brush and grass fires. The first was on the Eben Swasey place on the Newmarket road where the grass was burning briskly, and the flames running towards the barn. This was saved by a bank of snow which was deep about the side.

In a short time a call came from Stratham where a brush fire was raging on the Frank Ruttle place. This was extinguished before much damage was done.

Yesterday the fire department was called out twice, and a still alarm also called out the chemicals to extinguish a chimney fire.

LIGHTS AND BUOYS FOR LAKE

Councillor John B. Cavanaugh the taken up the matter of placing lights and buoys on Lake Umbagog with the public service commission. It was pointed out to him that the bill now in the legislature would provide ample authority for this, precluding necessity of special legislation. The councillor will take the matter up later with the commission. At present there are no lights or buoys officially ordered, although some are maintained privately.

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SCHOOL BOARD RECEIVES \$6,000 BEQUEST

Mrs. James J. Field Leaves Sum for Scholarship--Fred Parsons Janitor New School--Special Committee to Consider Redistricting

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Instruction was held on Tuesday evening and in the absence of Mayor H. B. Yeaton, Judge Page was chosen chairman.

Word was received of the bequest in the will of Mrs. James T. Fields, wife of the late poet, who died suddenly at Manchester, Mass., which provided the sum of \$3,000 for the high school for boys and \$3,000 for the high school for girls of the city of Portsmouth, which shall constitute a fund, the income of which shall be used for scholarships for the purpose of advancing the higher education of really promising pupils who can not otherwise afford to continue their studies.

It was announced that the will had not been ordered to Probate and no action was taken.

The Mary Clark fund which was originally \$100 has now reached the sum of \$337 through the accumulation of interest for a long term of years. The largest of such fund was to be given to the most deserving pupil in the public school. It was never used and now that it has reached such a good sum the sum of \$50 has been set aside for the original use. It will be used for needed pupils and already a pair of glasses was furnished a pupil who could not continue her schooling without them and who could not afford to purchase them.

The question of the high school base ball team having a game on Memorial day was discussed and on motion of Mr. Hartford it was voted that the board disapproved of a game on that date.

Supt. Pringle stated that he would recommend that for the present Miss Morrison remain as principal of the Whipple school, when it becomes the central grammar school and that a male principal be elected for next year and that Miss Morrison be made principal of the Lafayette school next year and that Miss Jesse McDaniel be appointed acting principal of the Lafayette school for the spring term. This recommendation was adopted.

The question as to what district the new Lafayette school would be assigned to was under consideration and it was the sentiment that a new redistricting be made and Supt. Pringle suggested that the new central grammar school be placed under a special

committee as the pupils would be from all parts of the city. The matter was finally left to a committee consisting of the Mayor, the chairman of the three districts with the Superintendent to bring in a report at the next meeting.

The monthly report of the finance committee was accepted. It was:

Expenses for February	
Expenses of General Control	145.33
Expenses of Instruction	
Salaries of teachers and	
Supt.	\$4341.34
Text Books	26.90
Pupils' Supplies	74.19
Other Expenses of Instruction	16.76
	\$4458.19
Expenses of Operation of Plant	
Salaries of Janitors	\$90.00
Fuel	41.40
Light and Power	20.97
Janitor's Supplies	8.68
	\$160.05
Expenses of Maintenance of Plant	
Building Repairs	6.70
Equipment Repairs	30.28
	\$36.98
Outlays	
New Equipment	59.44
Totals	\$5181.50

A request from Janitor Phineas of the Whipple school that his substitute while he was sick be paid by the city, was referred to the second district committee.

Supt. Pringle reported that the Council had granted the full amount of the appropriation recommended by the finance committee of the Board and he explained that this would be \$80.34 per capita pupil or a decrease of 10 cents a pupil from last year. He explained that the water charge, a new item, was equivalent to 25 cents per pupil, so that while the total appropriation showed an increase, it was due to the increase in the number of scholars, which had advanced 25 per cent in the past five years and the appropriation had only been increased 34 per cent.

A number of applications were received for the position as janitor of the new Lafayette school and Fred E. Parsons was elected at a salary of \$65 per month for ten months. Mr. Parsons has for thirty years been the efficient porter of the hotel Buckingham and he is well qualified for the position.

Canada; Mrs. Sara Pittman of Chelsea; Mrs. Redford Sargent of Philadelphia; Mr. Gardner Ulrich of Portsmouth; Mrs. Kenneth Stuart of New Castle. So calmly and peacefully her days are passed like the afterglow of a perfect October day. With everything to make her happy that loving hearts can suggest. The future looks bright. May she live to see many more such anniversaries.

Mrs. Adeline Healey is recovering from her recent painful accident. The Knights of Pythias are formulating plans to celebrate their anniversary on March 17th.

LICENSE BILL BEFORE HOUSE

Concord, March 3--The bill to repeal the license law of the state of New Hampshire is before the House today. Discussion of the bill was resumed at 2.30 after an hour's recess. The bill will probably come to a vote tonight at about 5 o'clock.

PORTSMOUTH THEATRE PROGRAMME

For Wednesday and Thursday

"A Child of the Prairie"--Selig Drama

In two parts.

A lively, snappy pictureplay, written and directed by Tom Mix, whose thrilling "stunts" on horseback and other typical western portrayals are never lacking in interest. The story is of a treacherous gambler, who steals the wife and child of a young rancher and carries them away. Tom Mix will have the lead.

ACT--The "Two Nightingales"--Singing changes.

"A Double Role"--Lubin Comedy.

A man who is an actor has succeeded in keeping from her the secret of his profession; but what does she do when she finds him out?

"Winning the Old Man Over"--Biograph Comedy.

Doctor Slap sent his negro to rob the grave yard. The frightened darky depends on some friends.

"The Club Pest"--Another comedy on the same reel.

All club mates bet him fifty dollars that he wouldn't spend the night in a haunted house, and proceed to make ghostly things happen.

ACT--Miller and Pempest--Singing, Talking.

"Tess of the Hills"--Biograph Drama.

Wilted by her lover, she nurses her vengeance until fate gives her an opportunity.

No pictures or vaudeville Friday on account of "The Miracle Man."

Change of pictures Saturday.

Watch for Girl Detective series on Monday.

OBSEQUIES

Mrs. Hattie Joy Colburn

The funeral services of Mrs. Hattie Joy Colburn were held from her late home in Kittery today at 2 p. m. Rev. C. Le V. Birch officiating. Interment was in Orchard Grove cemetery in charge of O. W. Ham.

Joseph Traversy

The funeral of Joseph Traversy was held at 8.30 Wednesday from the Church of the Immaculate Conception. Rev. Father Edward J. Walsh celebrating high mass of requiem. The Winfield Scott Schley Camp of United Spanish War Veterans attended the funeral in a body and members of the Camp acted as pallbearers and as an escort to the cemetery. The members of the Camp officiating as pallbearers were John Doyle, Frank De Marco, Owen Mooney and Deputy William B. Shaw. The body was interred at the Catholic cemetery under the direction of O. W. Ham.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH NOTES

The Y. P. C. U. will hold their regular quarterly business meeting this evening. Mr. J. Verne Wood will preside. Reports will be read and plans for the future will be discussed.

The Ladies' Social Union will serve a supper on Thursday evening at 6 o'clock. This will be followed by the Lenten service at 7.30 when Mrs. Luther W. Atwood will present the paper, "The Light of the World," a missionary exercise which she prepared for the National Society magazine. It will be presented here by the author for the first time.

The Junior Y. P. C. U. held their regular meeting on Tuesday afternoon when they held devotional exercises, after which they sewed for the Labrador children.

A. O. H. WILL INITIATE

Division 2, Ancient Order of Hibernians are arranging for a large gathering of the order in this city on Sunday next, when a class of thirty candidates will be initiated.

John Kelley who has been at the Portsmouth Hospital for the past six weeks with a severe case of blood poisoning is rapidly recovering.

Read the Want Ads.

FINAL NAVAL PROGRAM IS NOW AGREED ON

Bill Carries a Total of \$148,000,000--Building Program is \$45,053,801.

Washington, March 2--Agreement was reached on the naval and legislative executive and judicial supply measures and on the army bill, except as to a House provision providing for the use of "speeding up" methods in army shops. The senate conferees yielded to the House on a similar provision in the naval measure. Conferees on the army bill agreed to all the financial features and both houses adopted that portion of the report which carries a total outlay of \$101,974,165. House conferees won a point in having stricken out provision for an aviation plant at San Diego, Cal. It was provided however, that a commission or army officers be appointed to look into the section of a site for such a plant.

The agreement on the naval bill leaves the naval program for the year as follows:

Two battleships, six or more torpedo destroyers, two sea-going submarines, sixteen coast defense submarines and one oil ship.

The bill carries a total of \$148,000,000, the total amount for the building program aggregating \$45,053,801.

Late in the day the Senate passed the general appropriateness appropriation bill, carrying \$8,092,572. An amendment empowering the Interstate Commerce Commission to have access to the correspondence files of carriers was stricken out on a point of order made by Senator Oliver, who declared that such eleven hour legislation in an appropriation bill was unwarranted. The bill carried amendments making \$300,000 immediately available for use of the New Federal Trade Commission and appropriating \$50,000 for the use of the President in executing the neutrality laws and for unforeseen emergencies arising in the diplomatic and consular service. Action of the Philippine legislature in increasing internal revenue taxes on account of the war was legalized, but a provision empowering the legislature to enact further emergency revenue legislation was defeated.

Another amendment appropriating \$21,000 to pay claims for Americans killed on the Mexican border.

MARCELLO'S DEATH COSTS BOSTON NEARLY \$4000

Sewer Contracts Awarded to Portsmouth Man Must Go to Next Lowest Bidder.

The death of James Marcello of this city which occurred in Boston suddenly Feb. 13, will cause the city of Boston to lose nearly \$4,000. Mayor Curley of Boston said that as James Marcello was in business alone, his firm died with him and the city could hold no one to the fulfillment of a contract which had been awarded him as the lowest bidder.

The contract will now go to the next bidder in the whose figures were nearly \$4,000 higher than those of Marcello's.

The contracts were for sewers in Orleans street, East Boston, and Beach street, Charlestown.

Word was received here on Saturday evening, Feb. 13, of Mr. Marcello's death at the Day State Hotel, Hancock street, Boston, where he had been stopping while attending to the contracts.

Mr. Marcello was found in his room with the gas jet partly opened

and he was dead when discovered. The odor of gas was detected during the afternoon by employees of the hotel and they traced it to the room occupied by Mr. Marcello, and forcing the door found him dead.

His family on School street, this city were notified and went to Boston on the evening train. Medical Examiner Magrath viewed the body. It was a question at the time, whether it was a case of suicide or not, but as no reason could be brought forward it was found by the medical examiner to be an accident.

Mr. Marcello had been in this city for some years and was very successful. At the time of his death he owned property on School street and a brick block on Market street. He had recently secured two contracts for road building in Rhode Island in addition to the two jobs in Boston, on which he was working at the time of his death. He left a widow and four children.

NAVY YARD NEWS

Plenty of Work

Two boatbuilders were required in the Industrial Department on Tuesday. There is considerable work for men of this trade and also for blacksmiths of experience.

Want Rotative System Used

Recognition of the Rotative System, by which all employees at the Boston navy yard be laid off in turn for brief periods, instead of some being discharged outright, will be requested today from Secretary Daniels by Thomas J. Savage and Charles H. Taylor of the Boston Machinists' Union. Congressman Mitchell arranged for an interview with Secretary Daniels and will introduce the visitors.

Want a Team at Barracks

Baseball fans at the yard barracks are already taking a team for the season and with a full complement of men at the post a fast nine will be seen on the diamond. Canteen Steward, Corporal Brown, who knows a thing or two about the national game has interested himself in the proposed team, and he is likely to present a combination that will make a good showing against civilian teams, and those among enlisted men men of the marine corps and navy.

Sale of Condemned Goods

A sale of condemned goods, including rubber coats, boots, ponchos, tents, underclothing, etc has been posted, to take place at the naval prison on Saturday at 1 p. m.

Looks Bad at Boston

Eighty men have been furloughed

indefinitely and 50 or more discharged outright at the Boston yard to take effect March 6.

"The men who have been kept at work are willing to undergo a layoff, and so shoulder their share of the burden of hard times, rather than to keep at work full time and see others lose out entirely. It was intimated that some fireworks might be set off if Secretary Daniels should decline the request."

Simmends a Fast Man

Among the marine guard on the U. S. S. Southery is a fast man at boxing in the person of Cyclone Simmonds. He is known as a featherweight artist in the ring and held the championship of the Canal zone while stationed there. He is claimed by his admirers to be one of the fastest men in the service who ever pulled a glove.

SOCIAL AND BUSINESS SESSION

The Forward Class of the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday school were guests of a member of the class, Mr. George Snook, at his home, 43 Humphrey street, on Tuesday evening, with a good attendance. A business session was held, followed by a program which included the following numbers: Piano Solo..... Cecil Cloutman
Second Chapter of the serial story by George Snook.
Remarks..... Mr. Harry O. Hilton

Coughs and Bronchitis

relieved instantly with 2 ounces of Schiffmann's Concentrated Expecto-rant. A whole pint costs, 50 cents. Money refunded if not perfectly satisfactory by Tilton Drug Co.

The Dress Question

The Spring season is now at hand, and the outfitting proposition demands careful attention. If you are in the market for a New Suit, Overcoat, Rain Coat, or anything wearable, we ask your consideration.

We are showing garments from the best tailor shops in all the new and correct models for Spring.

We've the best of Hats, including the Von-Gal, Boston Derby, Brother Bill--all union labeled--exclusive high-grade haberdashery for Spring.

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Come in for your spring goods, and we will assist you in solving the Dress Question.

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Piano Selection..... Mr. George Snook
A social hour followed when members of the class told stories and games were indulged in. Refreshments of cakes, waters and hot chocolate were served by Mrs. Snooks, who was assisted by Miss Clara Bridle and Miss Annie Snook. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed by all present.

Helen M. Angle, the wealthy divorcée of Stamford, Conn., was able to appear in the superior court and her trial on the charge of manslaughter was begun before Judge William B. Williams.

GERMANY WILL ACCEPT THE AMERICAN PLAN

(Continued from Page One)

ADDRESSED LADIES' FOREIGN MISSION

Miss Gilson Told of Educational Work in Africa.

The Ladies' Foreign Missionary Society of the North Church held their regular meeting at the parish house on Tuesday afternoon with an attendance of over eighty. Miss H. Juliette Gilson of Rhodesia, East Central Africa, was present and gave a talk on her work at Mt. Salinda, and the changes that have taken place during her long service in that far-away country.

Miss Gilson is indeed one of Africa's pioneer educators, going some 40 years ago as a teacher in the second school to be established in all South Africa, founded for the daughters of Dutch and English settlers. Of late years she has been in charge of a native girls' boarding school at Mt. Salinda.

At the conclusion of her talk, a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments of cakes, fancy waters and tea were served by the hostesses of the occasion, Miss Susan Mathes and Mrs. William Walton.

mines for purely defensive purposes. The conditions Germany makes include, step by step, that England and France abandon the use of neutral flags and armed merchantmen or resistance to arrest.

Going beyond the American proposal, which contemplated the admittance by the Allies of foodstuffs cargoes for the civilians of Germany, the German reply states that the regulation should also apply to foodstuffs sent to neutral ports for indirect importation. Germany further insists on the Allies letting in other raw materials for "peaceful, economic purposes," and fodder--in fact, all the free list of the London Declaration, which should be treated "in the manner as foodstuffs."

The reply suggests that here, by constituted in the equitable collection of American commissions to which supplies of foodstuffs for the use of civilian populations could be consigned.

MANSLAUGHTER CASE BEGUN

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(Special to The Herald)

Bridgeport, Conn., March 3--After a series of postponements due to the nervous condition of the accused, Mrs.

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NEW CASTLE

Pussy willows, the advance herald of spring, have been found in the Island town. Broadly speaking March ushers in the spring-time but not until the sun crosses the equator northward bound on the 21st, when the old almanac pronounces winter extinct.

Mrs. Arabella Ulrich celebrated her 80th birthday at her attractive home on Elm court, on Sunday. During the day numbers of relatives and friends called to tender their congratulations, and she received numerous gifts and floral remembrances. Congratulations by letters were received from those unable to attend. Seven children have been born to her: Mrs. Valeria Spinney of Elliot; Mrs. Fred Doe of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Mr. Ephraim Ulrich, Jr., of

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ANARCHISTS PLOT A REIGN OF TERROR

One Caught Red handed After Throwing Bomb in St. Patrick's Cathedral--Were to Kill Rich Men

New York, March 2.—An attempt to blow up St. Patrick's Cathedral with a bomb early today and the arrest of a man by detectives who had been plotting for months of their activities followed by an announcement that the police had captured the anarchist who had thrown the bomb in the cathedral, were to inaugurate in New York city a reign of terror comparable only to the days of the French Revolution.

It was part of the plot, the police assert, for gangs of men armed with bombs and revolvers to appear simultaneously in various parts of the city to shoot and to pillage; the biggest banks of New York city were to be blown up with bombs, and many wealthy men were to be slain. The wreckage of the cathedral was to be the signal for beginning the elaborate programme, the police assert. The next day, according to the police, was to be the day of the attack on the banks of the Rockefeller family and the Vanderbilt family. So far had the plot advanced, this progressed, according to the police, that the manufacture of the bombs had already been started.

With the capitalists named and on the disposal of the anarchists planned, according to the police, to invade the financial district and lay their hands on the city's biggest banks. Thereafter, the police declare, the general programme of looting was to be inaugurated.

For months a Central office detective, who, according to the police, had been in the inner circle of the anarchists, kept the detective bureau advised of all their plans and actions of the alleged conspirators. This detective, Frank Baldo, assisted in the manufacture of the bomb with which

Almost before the missile had left his hand, to be for a moment on the carpet at the foot of the altar, Baldo placed the bomb in the hands of a man, who, Baldo told him that he was under arrest and started to leave the church. Baldo, amazed, permitted himself to be handcuffed to his captor without resistance and walked meekly down the aisle, detectives leading and following.

Baldo had lived with the alleged anarchist since last December. He had obtained Baldo's complete confidence and had discussed with him and others, the police assert, the details of the widespread plot. From Baldo the police learned that the anarchists' plans were to be developed in separate phases by groups of two and three men working together. Detectives were assigned to watch these groups, and two men from Central office were shadowing Carbone when he was arrested.

Plan Said to Have Been Made. According to Baldo, Abarno, had planned to wreck the cathedral a week ago late in the afternoon, but had postponed execution of the idea partly at Baldo's suggestion. Yesterday Abarno moved from his quarters in Elizabeth street to a furnished room in Third avenue. Today, when he left the furnished room with Baldo, half a dozen detectives, some of them disguised as laborers and carrying dinner pails, trailed him to the church. The bomb buried at the altar was made of scrap iron placed inside a plaster of paris body with gunpowder for the explosive. Most of the scrap iron was round knobs which had been wrested from iron fences in front of the houses of New York city's wealthy residents. According to the police, the plot was centralized in the group of anarchists known as the "Bread group," so named because of the admiration which its members expressed for Gustave Bresset, the man who killed King Humbert of Italy in 1900. At the time of the assassination it was reported that a group of anarchists in New York and Paterson, N. J., were in the plot. From this group swelled by many other anarchists, is believed to have sprung the Bresset group, the headquarters of which is in Harlem and the exact location of which is well known to the police.

Detective Arrested Two
The story told by detectives at the church varied in some respects from the statement given out by police headquarters by Commissioner Woods. According to the latter, Abarno carried two bombs to the cathedral and on his way down the aisle stopped to deposit one of the bombs against a pillar near the spot where was planted the bomb exploded in the cathedral last October. The other bomb, Commissioner Woods says, was placed near the altar. According to Commissioner Woods, Abarno had gone back from his cell to the first bomb and had lighted it when he was arrested. Another unusual development in the case which Commissioner Woods said he did not care to comment on for the present was the detention at police headquarters of Frank Baldo, the detective through whom headquarters had learned of the gang's alleged activities. Baldo was placed under arrest—technical arrest, it was announced—and Mr. Woods said that other anarchists besides Abarno and Carbone would be rounded up and arrested shortly in connection with the alleged plot.

Baldo is the assumed name of the detective. His real name, Mr. Woods said, is Emelin Polignani. He is twenty-three years old and was assigned to the investigation of the

Such Soldiers as These Form the Backbone of U. S. Civilian Army.



Photos by American Press Association.

These pictures were taken when Company F, Seventy-first regiment, New York national guard, conducted cold-weather maneuvers in the Catskill mountains, New York state. Company F is the crack national guard company in America. It is the only national guard company in the United States that gets paid for giving exhibition drills. The men maneuvered as in actual war, wearing their new regulation army winter hats. They climbed up the steep, snowy sides of the mountains, charged across ravines, stumbled about among the ice covered rocks and in many other ways put a much harder work at play than they do at drill. They shot at dummy heads, and they practiced at sniping. In case of war with a foreign nation it is such men as these that would form the backbone of the civilian army that would be raised.

bomb outrages last October and November. Other young policemen, some of them without previous experience in detective work, were also assigned to the task. Commissioner Woods said that he was sure the arrest of Abarno and Carbone cleared up the mystery of the bomb throwing at St. Anthony's Church last October.

Bombs Very Deadly
Inspector Egan of the bureau of combustibles thought that had the bomb exploded the destruction of life in the cathedral would have been very great. The missiles, he said, were the most deadly he had ever seen. They were about five inches in diameter and contained many bits of iron and jagged steel. In addition to gunpowder, other chemicals had been used in their manufacture. Baldo, the detective, was present when the explosives were purchased. Commissioner Woods explained why the bomb-carrier had been permitted to light the bomb before he was arrested.

"The penalty for having in your possession a bomb, or for making it, is not nearly as heavy as the penalty for lighting or throwing a bomb," he said. "I felt sure that the detective could put out the fuse in time, and I wanted to catch the bombthrower red handed."

The young detective, Polignani, who assumed the name of Baldo, was regarded by anarchists, it was said, as one of the wildest and most daring of their number. Polignani was selected for the work while he was still in the school of recruits, the detective bureau believing that an older policeman would be at a disadvantage. He had just served his probationary period and this was his first assignment.

BOSTON LETTER

Boston March 3.—New England wool manufacturers are in a state of protest against the plan under which they are heartily in favor of being allowed to import their needs under their own responsibility or to have their consignments come through some disinterested person not a wool manufacturer or a wool merchant. A meeting was held at the office of William M. Wood, President of the American Woolen Company, to consider the arrangement for the importation of wools under licenses, made with the Textile Alliance, Inc., of New York by the British government. Present from the proposed plan was expressed by all the manufacturers present.

William Whitman of William Whitman and Company expressed the opinion that the arrangement with the Textile Alliance involved a surrender of important principles, and he stated that for himself he could not accept the plan. Andrew Allen, the president of the United States Woolen Company said that the Textile Alliance arrangement was one that could not be needed to by the manufacturers. This meeting was preparatory to the meeting of the full committee of the Textile Alliance of the National Association of

Wool Manufacturers. The way they hope it out is this: With Biddeford and Saco practically one city, Sanford and Springvale close together and also Dover and Somersworth, no city of the league would be left without a Saturday afternoon game which the fans could easily attend. Under this plan either Biddeford or Saco would have a game each Saturday and the same would be true of the other cities in the league. This, it is believed, would keep up the interest in the game and league much better than if a town were left without a game on some Saturdays.

In all of these towns there is plenty of good baseball material, material that would make an interesting league and with a hot race on between the teams there is not the slightest doubt that the attendance would be good in all of the towns. The success of the Manufacturers league in this city and Saco the past two seasons is an indication of what can be done and there is little doubt that a greater interest could be created in a league such as is proposed.

The expense of such a league would not be large; it would not interfere with the interstate commerce commission, that is, as the law now stands, and there seems to be no really good and sufficient reason why such a league should not be launched another season and be carried successfully through with mutual advantage to the promoters, the players and the fans. —Biddeford Journal.

BREAK A CHILD'S COLD BY GIVING SYRUP OF FIGS

Cleanses the little liver and bowels and they get well quick.

When your child suffers from a cold don't wait, give the little stomach, liver and bowels, a gentle, thorough cleansing at once. When cross, peevish, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, eat or get naturally, if breath is bad, stomach sour, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the clogged-up, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.

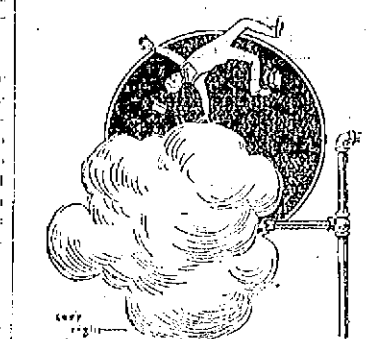
If your child coughs, snuffles, and has caught cold or is feverish, or has a sore throat, give a good dose of "California Syrup of Figs," to evacuate the bowels no difference what other treatment is given.

Sick children needn't be coaxed to take this harmless "fruit laxative." Millions of mothers keep it handy because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure. They also know a little given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs" which contains directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company."

MR. HUSE WILL SPEAK

The Women's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will hold their regular monthly meeting in the Y. M. C. A. building on Thursday afternoon, March 4, at three o'clock. Mrs. Oscar Huse will address the meeting on the subject, "Association Work in urban districts."



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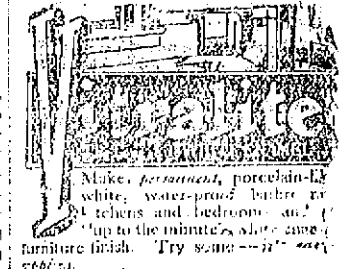
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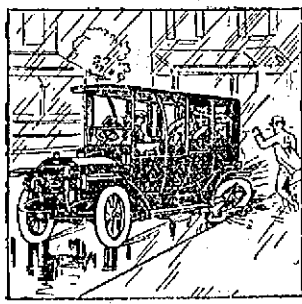
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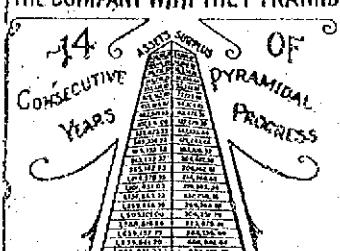
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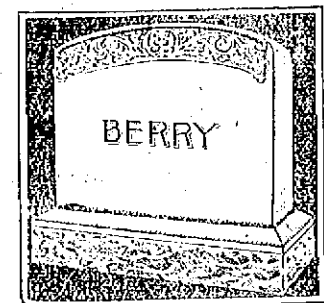
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ENGLAND DOES NOT WANT U. S. IN WAR

Washington, March 2.—From a source whose authority cannot be questioned it is learned that England does not want the United States in this war. The blowing up of an American ship, even if by a German submarine, would not have to drag the United States in to the conflict, says this authority, unless the American people demanded it. Germany, it is pointed out, would claim that the sinking of the ship was an accident, or attribute it to Great Britain, and long diplomatic interchanges would follow, ending in a satisfactory solution of the controversy.

By the same authority the opinion is expressed that the Japan-China issue has been lusted into international affairs by Germany in an effort to get the United States fleet into the Pacific and distract attention from Europe. In this connection, it is noticeable that Japan has never confirmed the reports of her demands on China.

As to the informal note sent to the British and German governments by the United States, there is slight possibility, according to this authority, of Great Britain being satisfied with any proposal for the United States to supervise distribution of foodstuffs to the civil population; under the German system, the civil and military population is said to be scarcely distinguishable, for the civilians are subject to military call at any time.

It is noted that the North tried to starve the south in the civil war; similar efforts of Great Britain now are held to be perfectly legitimate, whereas Germany's war zone campaign against neutral merchantmen is called illegitimate.

Concerning Mexico, it is said that, while Great Britain is not satisfied with the United States policy of watchful waiting, she is not prepared to say that any other policy would have been better. So far as England is concerned, the United States is expected to be left to work out the Mexican problem without European interference.

In this connection high officials do not believe that the American government would be justified in going into Mexico, unless American public opinion demanded it, which is regarded as far from the case.

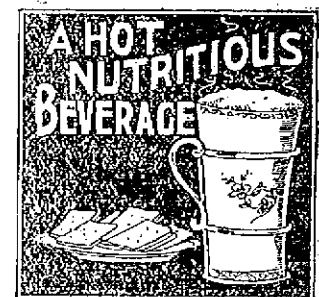
That Great Britain appeared early in the trouble, to be opposed to the United States government's policy in Mexico is considered to be quite accidental, and to be regretted by the British government. The apparent British recognition of Huerta is called accidental and far from the desire of the government. For European countries to side with factions opposed by the United States, says this authority, would be a most unfortunate situation.

HOW HE EARNED THE VICTORIA CROSS

Edinburgh, March 2.—George Wilson of Edinburgh tells how he won the coveted Victoria Cross as follows:

"The proudest minute in my life was when the King pinned the Victoria Cross on my breast and talked to me for a few minutes.

"You're not a very big man but you've got a very big heart. Truly, I'm proud of my soldiers! These were the words he used, and there were tears in his eyes. The King also asked me what were my feelings while I was going through the job, and I told him the thing I remembered best was when the German officer tried to shoot me



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with his revolver and I put the bayonet through him.

"After the retirement from Mons the 11th L. I. came to a village called Verneuil, and we entrenched there. Not far off a few snipers were potting away. One of our officers got up out of the trench and was just kneeling down and putting the bayonets on his rifle when a bullet struck him. He rolled over dead. I was a few paces off, and turning to the next man I said 'Poor fellow is over and I'll have revenge.'

"We tried all we could to locate the snipers, and I was lucky to get a good sight of them. Two bullets from my rifle did for them, and then we advanced cautiously nearer the enemy. When we were getting nearer I was surprised to see a number of spiked bayonets I was taken aback for a second, but then I decided to make a rush for it.

"Shouting at the top of my voice, 'Charge men, charge,' I rushed at them. They were taken by surprise and threw down their rifles. Two men in a Middlesex regiment came up and I told them to look after the Germans. There were eight of them.

"Further along I took up my position in a trench, but when I looked over I was horrified to see men lying about in all sorts of positions. Some were dead, and others were writhing in agony. I asked the man next me what was wrong, and he said, 'It's a maxim, and it's not done with its work yet.'

"I stood up to see for myself. The machine gun of the Germans was not a great distance off, and I said to myself 'It will kill us all if something doesn't happen to it.' I thought I would at least have one shot, and got in position to fire. The officer told me to get down, but I was so excited that I ran forward. Besides me there was a man in the Middlesex regiment, and he turned to me and said, 'Jack, will you have a try to stop the gun? I said I would, and he replied 'Go with you.'

"By this time we had got beyond range of the officer's orders, for we had gone without permission.

"Then began a journey that as long as I live will ever remain in my memory.

"The Germans saw us coming and bullets flew thick around us. My pat struck in several places and dropped. I ran zigzag and dropped on my knees to take a shot at the operators of the machine gun. My first shot knocked the man sitting on the machine backwards. His place was taken by another German, but he, too, I accounted for. How I escaped being hit myself I cannot explain. There seemed to me a good providence keeping guard over me.

"When four of the Germans were killed there only remained an officer beside the gun. He had crept behind it and was waiting for me with his automatic pistol ready.

"I rushed forward, yelling at the top of my voice, when the pistol started to spit. One bullet just passed the side of my head and my ear tingled. That was all the damage that German officer did. I sprang at him in wild fury and drove the bayonet straight into his body. He collapsed, and to withdraw the steel I had to put my foot on his face. My clothes were spattered with blood, but I felt much easier in mind, and I put down my rifle and turned to the belt containing ammunition.

"There were over 200 rounds left. I shifted the maxim round in the direction of the Germans. They were over a hundred yards off and massed in close formation. I started firing, and to my delight I saw big holes being made in their ranks, for it was impossible to miss them. They fell in bunches, and the heaps kept piling up.

"The enemy now saw the deadly effect of their own gun being used against themselves and sent shells in my direction. They flew on all sides of me and threw up dirt and splinters, but no one was struck. I continued working the maxim until the Germans fled in disorder.

"There must have been four companies of German all together, and I reckon the maxim accounted for at least half their number of men.

"As there was no farther use in me staying where I was I took the gun and some of ammunition back to the trench. I didn't go very far when I felt a foot sticking, but once I saw it was our own lads I backed up and an officer came to meet me.

"There's the d— thing that's been causing all the damage,' I said to him, and he replied, 'You have done splendidly.'

"Then I was told that my comrade was still lying out in the open, and I told those near me that I would fetch him in. They told me not to risk it, as the snipers were again busy potting. However, I wasn't going to rest until I had made an effort to save him.

"I reached my pat all safe and tried him on my shoulder. When I had gone a few yards a terrible hail of bullets whizzed around us. I felt the finger of one of my hands tingle. A bullet had just grazed it. My comrade was, however, struck several times, and he did not live long after I carried him into our lines.

"His dying words to me were—'Thank God you got that gun.'

BOWLING

Brewery League

The office force defeated the New Brau's in the Portsmouth Bowling Club league at the Elks alleys on Tuesday evening. The scores:

Office Force	Score
P. McCarthy	83 32 105-280
G. Leary	95 79 90-270
Petter	77 83 77-241
Frueman	72 87 82-241
Marden	75 76 69-220

New Brau

Hines	83 82 82-267
Schuman	69 70 71-210
Lanigan	78 66 72-216
J. Leary	89 50 71-240
Perkins	81 74 81-236

410 372 377 1159

WILL ASK A CUT.

Want Fares on York Beach Line Reduced.

It is expected that Manchester people will petition the Boston and Maine railroad for reduced rates to York Beach on Saturdays and Sundays. Last summer it was announced that the rates would be increased and that the excursion tickets for the week-end would be eliminated.

CLAIMS HE SANK GERMAN PLUNGER.

London, March 2.—Capt. John Bell of the Newcastle collier Tharadus today laid claim to the \$2500 prize offered by a shipping newspaper to the master of the first unarmed merchant man that sank a German submarine. Capt. Bell reported that his ship sighted the periscope of a submarine off Beachy Head Sunday morning. The collier's course was changed, he said, and she rammed the German craft, smashing over her periscope. All hands felt the crash, Capt. Bell said, and the submarine disappeared, leaving a trail of oil on the surface.

The Syren and Shipping Gazette, which offered the prize, is investigating the captain's story.

"ADVICE TO THE FEEBLE MINDED"

That is the title of the new great drawing by Charles Dana Gibson to be featured in next Sunday's New York World. The picture will be of large size, printed on tinted paper, ready to cut out and frame. Another feature of 'The Sturdy World' will be the 'Pictorial Weekly Review,' an eight-page illustrated supplement printed on fine quality tinted paper, presenting interesting war pictures and scenes of events in various parts of the world. Order from your news-dealer in advance.

TEACHERS INSTITUTE AT EXETER

An Institute for teachers in connection with the winter meeting of the Rockingham County Teachers Association will be held on Friday of this week at the Robinson Seminary in Exeter, and the following program will be given:

- Morning
- Section for elementary schools
 - 9.30 Arithmetic in the Elementary School, Mr. Eugene Tuttle, Keene Normal School.
 - 10.05 Principles and Practice in Teaching Primary Reading, Miss Laura M. Johnston, Plymouth Normal School.
 - 10.40 Recent Investigations in Spelling and Their Application, Mr. Harry A. Brown, Deputy State Supt.
 - 11.15 Questions and Discussion.
 - Section for Secondary Schools
 - 9.30 Some Essentials in School Management in the Secondary School, Mr. John J. Marrihan, Principal Pinkerton Academy.
 - 10.05 Defects in Secondary Teaching from Inspection Point of View, Mr. Henry S. Morrison, State Superintendent.
 - 10.40 The Teaching of Science in the Secondary School, Mr. Marrihan.
 - 11.15 Questions and Discussion.
- Afternoon
- 1.30 Stages of Growth and Stages of Mental Development and Their Relation to Practical Teaching, Mr. Brown.
 - 2.05 Some Fundamental Principles of Teaching, Mr. Tuttle.
 - 2.10 Principles which should Govern the Teaching of History, Miss Johnston.
 - 3.15 The Plan and Purpose of the Modern School, Mr. Morrison.

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REMOVAL NOTICE

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LOST—In Greenland, Friday evening, Feb. 26. Grey fur robe. Finder please notify and receive reward. Frank B. Moody, Greenland, N. H. Phone 1078L. he m, 19

LOST—Female pup, French bull; black brindle hat-eared. Answers to the name of Plessie. Reward; notify Mrs. T. H. Surles, 5 Pickering Street. ch f 19 m3

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Tax Commissioners Will Visit This City for Hearing on March 25.

The state tax commission has sent out notices of the annual round of county visits for conference with county commissioners, assessors in cities and selectmen in towns preparatory to the appraisal of taxable property on April 1. The meetings will begin in Grafton county on March 3 and continue until the ten counties have been thoroughly covered, ending in Keene in Cheshire county, March 31. The assessing officials are requested to attend the meeting nearest their town, without regard to county lines. The commissioners will instruct the assessors as to the laws governing the assessment and taxation of property. The Hillsborough county conference will be held in the court house at Manchester, March 26; and the Merrimack county gathering will be at the

state house, March 29. The other meetings will be as follows: Grafton at Lebanon town hall, 12.30 p. m., Saturday, March 13. Coos at Berlin court house, 1.30 p. m., Wednesday, March 17; at Lancaster court house, 10 a. m., Thursday, March 18th. Carroll at Ossipee court house, 10 a. m., Friday, March 19. Grafton at Woodsville court house, 10.30 a. m., Monday, March 22. Sullivan, at Claremont town hall, 1.30 p. m., Thursday, March 24. Rockingham, at Portsmouth court house, 2.30 p. m., Friday, March 25. Grafton at Plymouth board of trade rooms, 9 a. m., Saturday, March 27. Belknap, at Laconia court house, 2 p. m., Saturday, March 27. Cheshire, at Keene court house, 1 p. m., Wednesday, March 31.

been continually chasing them for peddling booze. That the large amount of copper wire to be added to the fire alarm system throughout the city should greatly improve the same. That Franklin, N. H., one of the youngest cities of the state, is going to do away with all horse-drawn fire fighting apparatus. That the women of the state are going to make a fight for a representation on the state board of trustees if the bill before the legislature becomes a law. That this city will present a strong candidate for the place. That there are a large number of musical people in Portsmouth that would like to see an organization among the local singers. That the Country Club is increasing the membership.

MUSICAL AND LITERARY PROGRAM

Methodist Church Arranged Entertainment for Annual Donation Party.

The annual donation party at the home for Aged Women was given on Tuesday evening by the ladies of the Methodist church. The following musical and literary program was rendered: Piano solo Miss Jenness. Recitation Miss Biddle. Music: (a) The Merry Spring. (c) The Spider and the Ladybug. First soprano, Mrs. Crossley; second soprano, Mrs. Norton; first alto, Mrs. Hobbs; second alto, Mrs. McIntire. Reading Miss Warren. Violin solo Mr. Marshall. Duets Mr. and Mrs. Crossley. Reading Mrs. Hobbs. Solo Mrs. Corbin. Violin solo Mr. Marshall. Music: (a) The Chimes. (c) Ave Maria. Violin solo and Coronation Quartet. Mr. Marshall and audience.

ODD FELLOWS WILL GO TO EXETER

Fourteenth Annual Meeting of District No. 5 Will Be Held Thursday.

A large delegation of Portsmouth Odd Fellows will go to Exeter on Thursday evening to attend the 14th annual meeting of District No. 5, which includes the three lodges in this city, and those in Exeter, Hampton, Newfields and Newton.

MRS. GREENE HOSTESS.

Entertained Priscilla Club at Her Home Tuesday Evening.

On Tuesday evening Mrs. Charles W. Greene delightfully entertained the Priscilla Club at her home on Bennett street. There were eighteen members present. Whist and film were played, and a very enjoyable evening was passed by all. Vocal and instrumental music added to the occasion. At the close of play light refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Grace Merrill of Miller avenue.

COYSTER SUPPER AND BUSINESS MEETING

Onward Class Had Enjoyable Evening in Church Vestry Tuesday.

The Onward Class of the Court Street Christian church held an oyster supper for their members on Tuesday evening in the vestry, which was largely attended and greatly enjoyed. Mr. George W. Shapleigh was in charge of the supper and the menu embraced oyster stew, crackers, jelly, cake and coffee. A business meeting followed and everyone present had a very pleasant time.

POETRY AND MUSIC.

Rev. Alfred Gooding and Mr. Charles W. Gray Entertained South Parish Alliance.

The South Parish Alliance of the Unitarian church held a most enjoyable and successful meeting on Tuesday afternoon at the chapel on Court street with a large attendance to listen to Rev. Alfred Gooding's readings. Mr. Gooding gave a delightful program of English poetry of the present war by: Kipling, Masfild and other English writers. Mr. Charles W. Gray rendered some beautiful solos, among which were: "The Two Grey Deer," by Schumann; Kipling's "Recessional," with music, by DeCoven; "Rolling Up,"

SCENIC TEMPLE

For Wednesday and Thursday "The Exploits of Elaine"

This is the sixth episode of this mysterious serial entitled, "The Vampire." The feature of this installment is the kidnapping by the Cretan band of Elaine in a suit of ancient armor. Torrence O'Rourke in "A Captain of Villany," in two reels. This story deals chiefly with diplomacy, and leads to bring out forcibly the fact that when the fate of a great nation hangs by a thread, a clever diplomat may bring matters to a happy ending. Mr. Warren Kerrigan is seen at his best in this interesting subject. "On Desert Sands"—Big U, two reels. A stirring drama of Western and Indian life, featuring Sydney Ayres, in a tale of life along the fringe of the great American desert. "A Modern Noble"—Domino, in two reels. A story of Old Heidelberg. "Goals of Fire"—American, one reel. "A Bird's Eye View"—Keystone comedy. Coming Friday and Saturday—"The Mystery Woman," Nelson, two reels, featuring Cleo Madison. "A Gentleman of Art," an Imp detective story in two reels. "A Farewell Dinner," Afafestie, two reels. "The Law of the Wilds," American, two reels. "Mutual Weekly," No. 8; latest news from all over the world. New songs by Mr. Callahan.

COWLES' CASE NOT DROPPED

Rumors of Settlement of Divorce Proceeding Is Without Foundation.

A report that the divorce proceedings instituted by Mrs. Florence J. Cowles, formerly of Brookline, against Dr. Edwin S. Cowles of this city, may be dropped because of recent developments is without foundation, according to word from an authoritative source given out yesterday.

Mrs. Cowles who has been living with her father, Atty. Harry J. Jacquot of 24 Marion street, Brookline, came to Portsmouth Monday to confer with her attorney Ernest L. Captin, in consequence of which visit the rumor started that there would be a stay of proceedings. But information learned yesterday indicates that the move for a separation is more certain than ever.

ORGANIZATIONS WILL MOVE

Eagles Give Up Lease of Market Street Quarters.

The several organizations which have for years maintained headquarters in the building at 115 Market street will shortly vacate the same. The rooms on the second and third floor were rented under a lease to the Mercedes Aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles, which sub-let to other organizations.

The different associations to locate elsewhere are the Italian Court of Foresters, A. O. U. E., and Ladies Auxiliary, Barbers Union, Companions of the Forest, Brewery Workers Union. The Eagles have held the lease since the building was remodeled as a lodge quarters.

THE NEW THEATRE

Wednesday and Thursday

The big feature is a three reel George Kleine feature drama "The Banker's Daughter"

A story told in a dramatic way, fine acting, perfect photography, and plenty of action. "Her Supreme Sacrifice"—two reel Kalem Drama. Program. Her Supreme Sacrifice—2 parts. ACT—Frank Carmen—A clever Hoop rolling novelty act. Pathé News—All the latest news of the world in motion, featuring pictures of the winter sports at Dartmouth College.

The Banker's Daughter—Part One. ACT—Symonds and Weston—Pianola, singing and talking act. One of the best acts of its kind. The Banker's Daughter—Parts 2 and 3. Change of vaudeville Thursday. COMING FRIDAY Tyrone Powers in the four part Paramount play, "Aristocracy."

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124-Aero Farm, on the main road from Portsmouth to Rye, about three miles from Portsmouth. There is about 50 acres of tillage and the rest is pasture and woodland, with about 20 acres of young hardwood growth, with some pine, spruce and hemlock. There is a never-failing spring piped to the buildings, with a gasoline engine, hot and cold water in the sink and in the barn. Electric lights from storage battery, connected with gasoline engine, in house and barn. Property cuts about 40 tons of hay. Has an orchard of about 150 old trees and 100 young trees, mostly Baldwin. There are some peach, plum and pear trees. House contains 14 rooms, with a furnace. Barn 30x40, with a tie-up for 20 cows. Cart shed, ice house; hen house 60x14; wood house, silo holding about 80 tons. Soil is a rich black loam, and yields well. There is a school within 5 minutes walk; neighbors near; R. 1, D. and telephone.

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to the tune of "The British Grenadiers."

A social hour followed, and refreshments of fancy cakes, crackers and tea were served. The tea committee consisted of Mrs. Gustave Peyser and Mrs. Charles E. Trafton.

PERSONALS

Robert L. Ellery has returned to Toledo.

Mrs. T. B. Pottle is spending the day in Boston.

Hon. Horace Mitchell is in Augusta, Me., for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pickering passed Tuesday in Dover.

Charles F. Shillaber and wife report a delightful stay in Florida.

Mr. Albert Shedd who has been restricted to his home by illness, is very much improved.

Register of Probate Robert Scott and Judge Louis G. Hoyt are in this city today on business.

Mrs. Burnham of Hillsboro has returned home after being the guest of Mr. A. Roach of Sagamore avenue.

Captain Ross of the Fourth Company, C. A. C., of Dover was a visitor in this city on Tuesday evening.

Mr. Albert Craig of State street has returned home from the Portsmouth hospital, but is still confined to his bed.

Jack Sweetser the young son of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Sweetser is recovering from a severe injury received on Saturday.

Miss Minnie Paddock of Newton Center, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lizzie Upham at her home on Beach street.

Rev. F. J. Scott leaves this afternoon for Raymond, this state, where he will assist in the Evangelistic services on Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. A. O. Benfield will entertain the Grange Sewing Circle at her home Thursday afternoon and evening. The husbands and friends of the members are invited to supper.

Mrs. William Northup and Master Lawrence Archer of Dorchester, Mass., and Mrs. William Manchester of Halifax, N. S., are visiting Mrs. James P. Berry at the Intervene, Kittery.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Hazlett have returned from Manchester. Mr. Hazlett will devote considerable time to the estate of the late Captain Richardson, therein attending to his duties as executor.

I. O. O. F. NOTICE

Osgood Lodge, No. 48. The annual district meeting for 1915, will be held at Exeter Thursday evening, March 4. Sagamore Lodge, No. 9 of Exeter will confer the initiation degree. Special electric car will leave the I. O. O. F. hall at 6.39 p. m., returning at 11.30. Banquet served at close of the degree work. Tickets 60 cents round trip.

Per order Chairman of Committee.

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Once more we call attention to our mark-down sale of men's trousers. Here are the former and the present prices—

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Come early while the pickings are good.

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LOCAL DASHES

No session of the police court today.

Dr. Pickering, dentist, 33 Congress street.

Fish of all kinds at Clark's Branch, Tel. 131.

The Colonial Theatre is expected to open in April.

The lower harbor was clear of vessels this morning.

Several local marriages are planned following the Lenten season.

A session of the probate court was held in this city on Tuesday.

Germany will modify policy if England will—That will help some.

The street sprinklers would be handy in settling some of the dust.

Portsmouth has been hit hard for charity since the New Year came in.

Upholstering, hair mattresses renovated, Margeson Brothers, Phone 670.

Don't forget supper at Universalist Vestry on Thursday. Tickets 20 cents.

Many of the houses about the city still have the old numbers tacked above the door.

The weather would be fine if the wind wasn't so strong and the temperature so low.

Some of the Great Bay fishermen have given up smelting for the remainder of the winter.

Lobsters and fish of all kinds caught by our own boats, fresh every day. E. Jamieson and Sons, Tel. 245.

Supper at Universalist Vestry on Thursday at 6 o'clock. Baked beans and salads. Tickets 20 cents.

Skates sharpened, scissors, knives and all edge tools sharpened; saws filed, umbrellas mended, keys made, locks repaired, and razors honed and rehandled, at Horne's, 32 Daniel street.

Portsmouth firemen who will be delegates to the State Association meeting in April, will appeal strongly to that body for the big meeting to be held in this city in September.

That the police of that city have

That the pole bearing the nitrogen lights on Market Square should be straightened up a bit.

That the President's steam launch is on its way to Washington.

That the vote for or against license in the legislature today will be watched with much interest throughout the state.

That any gifts of linen to the Portsmouth Hospital at any time would be an appropriate gift of charity.

That the fact that a lot of local citizens are out of work should interest the mayor and city council.

That any work that can be done during the quiet spell should be started and our citizens put on the job.

That the rumors of a local ice famine have no foundation.

That the Seigel store on Market street recently damaged by fire is being remodeled.

That many new improvements are to be made there.

That our municipal building is beginning to show need of repairs on the interior.

That the representatives of some manufacturing firms have looked over the old City Farm buildings of late, but up to date we have heard nothing as a result of the inspection.

That local organized labor would like a representation on the police board.

That Earl Amazeen has been appointed a substitute fireman on Engine 2.

That representatives of the Loper Fire Alarm Company of Connecticut, are expected to come to this city tomorrow to erect the new fire alarm whistle and blowing apparatus at the Eldredge Brewing Company.

That the local brewing companies are putting out a large amount of beer.

That the Roundtree family of Newburyport, formerly of this city are in trouble again.

That the police of that city have

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